House Resolution No. 2812

Whereas, from time to time the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are called upon to recognize the serious endeavors of outstanding health care facilities, a most delightful task which this legislative body embraces with enthusiasm; and

Whereas, Lafayette Regional Health Center in Lexington, Missouri, will observe National Hospital Week as a way to promote its services and programs and to acknowledge the work of its staff and administrators with a special celebration from May 6, to May 12, 2007; and

Whereas, National Hospital Week unites hospitals, health care workers, and communities from coast to coast and builds enthusiasm and pride in the giving nature of care; and

Whereas, the theme for the 86th annual National Hospital Week is Care you count on...People you trust; and

Whereas, Lafayette Regional Health Center has provided Lafayette County residents and surrounding communities with compassionate, accessible, and cost-effective healthcare since 1950; and

Whereas, in addition to comprehensive impatient care and twenty-four-hour emergency services, Lafayette Regional Health Center's outpatient clinic provides access to numerous medical specialists and operates seven area physician's clinics; and

Whereas, Lafayette Regional Health Center, a member of the Hospital Corporation of America, is fully accredited by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare organizations; and

Whereas, Lafayette Regional Health Center also enjoyed recognition as a premier job supplier for Lexington, making it a significant economic force in the community; and

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud Lafayette Regional Health Center as it observes National Hospital Weed from May 6 to May 12, 2007; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Lafayette Regional Health Center in Lexington, Missouri.

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2812, adopted April 30, 2007.